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Subject: Re: 4 Jan 17 statement - draft
Date: Wednesday, January 4, 2017 6:40:47 AM

Good morning David,

Here are suggested changes to the last paragraph..

The EPA continues to conduct air monitoring at the site and has confirmed that Phosphene has not been found in the public area located near the residence. Addition assessments is necessary to determine if conditions are safe at the affected home and property. Local officials have established a perimeter surrounding the affected home preventing access to the area.

Lastly, do we what to mention that EPA also has jurisdiction over pesticides as well and is in close contact with TDA. I defer to the MM on this point.

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On Jan 3, 2017, at 11:54 PM, Gray, David <gray.david@epa.gov> wrote:

Draft statement

EPA is working closely with local authorities, the TCEQ, TDA, and local and state emergency response personnel. The media contact for the unified command is: Jesse Patton with the City of Amarillo [806-378-5219](tel:806-378-5219).

The TCEQ is overseeing cleanup of the site. At this time, TCEQ's contractor is conducting a site assessment and will conduct the cleanup once the best method is determined.

The Texas Department of Agriculture has jurisdiction over the proper use of pesticides and is conducting an investigation.

The EPA continues to conduct air monitoring at the site and has confirmed concentrations of xxxx have returned to acceptable levels in the area.

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